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211.002 Policy

All systems acquisition programs in the DoD are subject to the acquisition streamlining policies and procedures in DoDI 5000.2, Defense Acquisition Management Policies and Procedures.

211.002-70 Contract clause.

Use the clause at 252.211-7000, Acquisition Streamlining, in all solicitations and contracts for systems acquisition programs.

Subpart 211.2—Using and Maintaining Requirements Documents

211.201 Identification and availability of specifications.

(a) The DoD index of data item descriptions is DoD 5010.12-L, Acquisition Management Systems and Data Requirements Control List (AMSDL).

(b) Also, furnish data item descriptions which are not listed in the AMSDL, except when it is not feasible, e.g., documents are bulky or only a limited number of copies are available at the contracting activity.

(d) The AMSDL, all unclassified specifications and standards listed in the DODISS, and data item descriptions listed in the AMSDL may also be purchased from the Standardization Docu-

ments Desk, Building 4D, 700 Robbins Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19111-5094. Include with the letter or DD Form 1425—

(i) The requester's customer number; and

(ii) Complete return mailing address, including any "mark for" instructions.

211.204 Solicitation provisions and contract clauses.

(c) When contract performance requires use of specifications and standards which are not listed in the DODISS and data item descriptions which are not listed in the AMSDL, use provisions, as appropriate, substantially the same as those at 252.211-7001, Availability of Specifications and Standards Not Listed in DODISS, Data Item Descriptions Not Listed in DoD 5010.12-L, and Plans, Drawings, and Other Pertinent Documents, and 252.211-7002, Availability for Examination of Specifications, Standards, Plans, Drawings, Data Item Descriptions, and Other Pertinent Documents.

211.270 Brand name or equal purchase descriptions.

211.270-1 Policy.

When a "brand name or equal" purchase description is used—

(a) The purchase description—

(1) Should include a complete common generic identification of the item.

(2) Should reference all known acceptable brand name products, to include—

(i) Name of manufacturer, producer, or distributor of each brand name product referenced (and address if not well known); and

(ii) Model, make, or catalog number for each, and identity of the commercial catalog in which it appears.

(3) May, if necessary to adequately describe an item, use a commercial catalog description or an extract from the catalog. Ensure that a copy of each catalog referenced (except parts catalogs) is available at the contracting office for review by offerors.

(4) Should give prospective offerors the opportunity to offer products other than those specifically referenced by brand name, as long as they meet the needs of the Government in essentially